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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Advisory Action mailed January 15, 2008 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendment and consider the hereby submitted request for continued examination.